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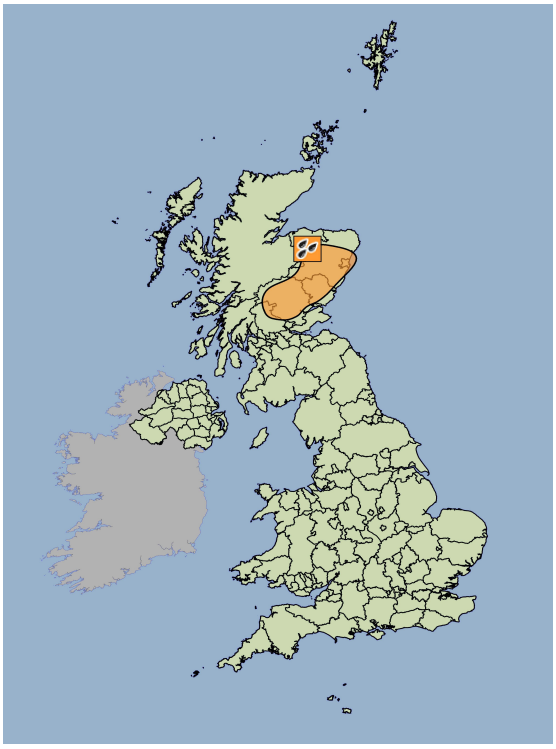

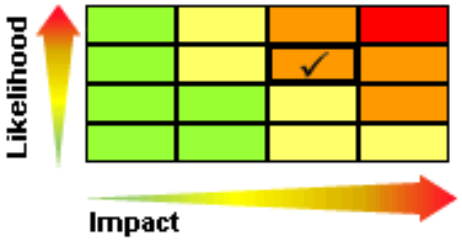

Chief Forecasters Assessment
A frontal zone remains slow moving across the area bringing persistent rain and increasingly snow to ground above 450 metres later today.

During the rest of today, much of the area will have a further 15-25 mm of rain, with as much as 40 mm over some of the high ground - this in addition to that which has fallen over the previous couple of days. Given the saturated ground, there is a continued risk of surface water flooding and also some river flooding for a time.

The Met Office have issued an **Amber Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **10:45 on Mon, 04th Jan 2016** until **23:55 on Mon, 04th Jan 2016**

Rain will persist for much of today, locally heavy at times and turning increasingly to snow above 450 metres during the evening. The persistence of the rainfall will continue to produce some large totals over areas where ground remains saturated.

Be prepared for both surface and river flooding, as well as some disruption to transport.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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